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DEFENCE,

AND

Anent the Colonels and Committees of VVarre *respectivè* of the several Shires thereof; and their Power.

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At Edenburgh *the* 18. *of April*, 1648.

THe Estates of Parliament presently conveened, taking into their serious consideration the dangers imminent to the true Protestant Religion, to the Nationall Covenant, and Solemn League and Covenant, his Majesties Person and Authority, and peace of his Kingdoms from the prevalency of Sectaries and their adherents, and from Papists Malignants and Prelaticall party, and considering the occasion thereby given not only to the publick Enemies of Religion abroad, but even to any dis-affected persons at home, to labour so far as in them lies to subvert Religion and Government, and disturb the peace of this Kingdom; And finding themselves obliged in duty and conscience, to make speedy use of all means, for preventing the practises of such, for preserving of the Peace, and keeping of his Majesties Subjects in a dutifull obedience to the Laws and publick Judicatories, and in a Christian unity among themselves. They have resolved that this Kingdom shall be presently put into a posture of defence, and

for the better and more ſpeedy effectuating thereof, they have nominate and appointed, and hereby nominates and appoints the perſons particularly underwritten, to be Colonels of Horſe and Foot within the ſeveral Sheriffdoms and bounds thereof, aſwell to Burghs as Landward *reſpectivè* after ſpecified, *viz.* For the Sheriffdom of Edenburgh principal to Landward, the Earl of Dalhouſhie or his ſon, the Lord Balmerino or his ſon, the Lord Cranſton, and the Laird of Collingtoune: For the Conſtabularie of Hardingtoune, and Bayliary of Lauderdail, the Earls of Wintoune and Lauderdail, the Earl of Tweddell or his ſon, the Laird of Waughtoune, and the Lord *Humbie*. For the Sheriffdom of Peebles, the Laird of Preſtounegrange, and the Laird of Dawick younger. For the Sheriffdom of Berwick, the Earl of Home, the Earl of Hadingtoune, the Laird of Langtoune, and the Laird of Plandergaiſt. For the Sheriffdoms of Roxburgh, Selkirk, and that proportion of Dumfreis which the Earl of Bucleuche had in the Act of Poſture in *Anno* 1643. The Earls of Roxburgh, Bucleuche, Lothian, Traquair, and Sheriff of Tevitdail. For Lanirek, the Duke of Hammiltoun and the Earl of Lanirek. For Dumfreis, the Earl of Nithiſdail, the Earl of Dumfreis, the Laird of Kelhead, the Laird of Lag elder or younger, and the Laird of Mouſwall. For the Sheriffdom of Fiffe and Kinroſher, the Earls of Crawfurd, Rothes, Dumferling, the Lords Sinclair, Brughlie, Balcarrais and Elcho. For the Sheriffdom of Forfar, the Earl of Buchane, Vicount of Dudope, the Lord Carnegie, the Lord Breichen, the Lord Spynie, the Lord Loure. For the Sheriffdom of

Perth,

Perth, the Earls of Athoill, Tullibardine, Perth; the Lord Couper, the Lord Cardros, the Laird of Inchmertene, the Laird of Balthayok. For the Sheriffdom of Stirling and Clakmannane, the Earl of Callender, the Laird of Polmais, and the Laird of Clakmannane youngeſt. For the Sheriffdom of Lithgow, the Lords Levingſtoune and Bargany. For the Sheriffdoms of Argyle and Dumbartan with the Iles, except the Lewis with Moidart, Noidart and Arſtet and Lochaber, the Marquis of Argyle, the Laird of Glenurquhy younger, and the Laird of Kilbirnie. For the Sheriffdom of Bute, the Sheriff of Bute, and *John Hamilton*. For the Sheriffdom of Wigtoun and Stewartry of Kirkcudbright according to the Act of Poſture aforeſaid; The Vicount of Kenmure, the Lord Garleis and Laird of Garthland. For the Sheriffdoms of Air and Renfrew, the Earl of Loudoun Lord Chancellor, or the Laird of Ceſnok, the Earl of Glencairne, the Earl of Eglinton or Laird Montgomery, the Earl of Caſſillis, the Lord Roſſe, and the Lord Cochram. For the Sheriffdoms of Aberdeen and Kincardin, the Earl of Arroll, the Earl of Merſhel, the Vicount of Frendraught, the Lord Halkertoun, the Maſter of Forbes, the Laird of Philorth, the Laird of Morphie; Colonel *Harie Mauld*, and *George Keith*. For Orknay and Yetland, the Earl of Morton, and the Lord Dalkeith. For the Sheriffdom of Kaithnes, the Laird of Murkill, and *Francis Sinclair* uncle to the Earl of Caithnes. For the Sheriffdoms of Innernes and Cromortie, except theſe parts which by the former Act of Poſture are joyned either to Argyle, Elgine, or Sutherland, *Mac Kenzie* ſon to Sir

John Mackenzie of Tarbet, or the Laird of Ridcastlell, sir *James Fraser*, the Laird of Kilrawich and Shrief of Cromartie. For the Shiredoms of Elgine and Nairne with that part of Innernes joyned with them in the Act of posture foresaid, the Earl of Murray, the Shrieff of Murray, the Lairds of Innes elder or younger, the Laird of Duffus. For the Shrieffdom of Sutherland with its proportion of Innernes contenit in the Act of posture in *Anno* 1643. The Earl of Sutherland and the Lards of Balnagoune and Lamlair. For the Sheriffdome of Bamff, the Earle of Findlater and the Lord Bamff. And for the town of Edinburgh, The Provest of Edinburgh.

And siclike the Estates of Parliament do hereby nominate and appoint the Persons underwritten, to be Commissioners and Committees of War within the severall Shires, as well to Burgh, as Land; In manner and to the effect following. That is to say, For the Shiredom of *Edinburgh* principall, The Earle of *Bucleuche*, the Earl of Lawderdiall, The Earl of Lowthean, the Earl of Dalusse or his son, the Lord Borthuik, the Lord Ross, the Lord Torphichen, the Lord Cranston, the Lord Balmerino, the Lord Forrester, the master of Balmerino, The Laird of Innerleeth, sir *William Nisbit*, *Thomas Mudi*, sir *John Couper*, Grantoune, Mr. *John Inglish*, Inglishtoune, Haltoun, *Dalmahoy* elder and younger, Bonytoune, Beavelaw, Scottistarvet, Rickartoun, sir *Archibal*, *Johnstoune* of warriestoune, Babertoun, Colingtoune, wodhall, *Edward Edgar*, *Cragmiller*, *Niddrie*, *Libertoune*, *Lughtone elder and younger*, *Drum*, *David matcullo*, Mr. *William Little*, *Alderstoune*, *Poltoune*, *Clerkingtoune*, elder

elder and younger, *Preſtoungrange*, *Temple*, *Arniſtoune*, *Lochquharrat*, *Samuel Mitchel*, *Halheriote*, *Cruikſtoune*, ſir *Harrie Nisbit*, *Cranſtoneriddel*, *Halzairdis*, *Torſons*, ſir *William Dick*, ſir Patrick *Hammiltoune* and his ſon, *Fordell*, *Southſide*, *Cokpen*, *VVilliam Murray* of Hermiſtoune, *Robert Porteous*, the Laird of Ridhall younger, *Alexander Calderwood*, *Cliftounhall*, L. Smetoun, L. Newtoune, L. Staniehill, ſir *Thomas Thomeſon* of Dudingſtoune, *Thomas Megget*, *Hawthorndeane*, *Robert Penman*, *Ja. Sandilandis* of Muriſdykis, *Patrick Scot* in Shireffhall, *James Dowglas* of Dykis, *Monktoune*, *James Roucheheid*, M. *Robert Smith*, *John Trotter*, of Mortounhall, *George Foullis* of Ravilſtoune, Pilrig, *Major VVilliam Murray*, ſir *John Smith*, *James Eleis*, *Lany*, *Cambo*, *Bruntiſfield*, *Kincaid* of VVarieſtoune, *James Brown* Bailie of Muſſelburgh, *John Hammiltoune*, M. *David Anderſon*, *Edmiſtoune*, *Ramſey* of VVhythill, *Selmes*, M. *Samuel Johnſtoune*, ſir *John Hope of Craighall* *Hammiltom ſon* to ſir *James Hamiltoune* of Prieſtfield.

Item, For the Sheriffdom of Fyffe, and ſeverall Presbyteries thereof, the Marquiſſe of Argyle and the whole remanent Noblemen of that Shire, and their eldeſt ſons. For the Presbyterie of Kirkcaldie, the Lord Regiſter, L. Arnote elder and younger, *Bogie*, *Inchderny*, *Kirkneſſe*, *Fingaſk*, Sir *George Hammilton*, *Kirkforther*, *Balquharge*, *John Pitcarne* of Uniſtoun, *Pinmont*, *Finglaſsie*, *Halzairdis*, *Caskieberrie*, *Grangekirkcaldie*, *Burghlie*, *Pitcullo*, *Balbirne*, *Balbadie*, *James Pitcarne* of Treatoun. For the Presbyterie of St. Andrews L. *Lundie*, *Rires*, *Cambo*, *Nauchtoan*, *Airdrie* elder and younger, *Auchmoutey* elder and younger, *Erleſhall*

hall elder and younger, *Balfour* elder and younger, *Pitmillie*, *Balcomy* elder and younger, Sir *James Lumsden* of Innergellie, *Kincrag*, L. *Samphurd Nairn*, L. *Samford*, *Balfour*, Sir *John Carstaures*, *Ardross*, *Scottiscraig*, *Pitlethie*, *Barnes*, *Samphurd Goldman Ramderstoune*, Lieut. Col. *Borthuick*, *Clarimonth*, Mr. *James Stewart* indweiler in Innerkeithing, *Kynnadie*, *Moncrieff*, *Kilbrakmonth*, *Blebo*, Mr. *William Bruce*, *Lathons*. For the Presbyterie of Couper *Creiche*, *Forther*, *Craighall*, *Ferny* elder and younger, *Dunmure*, *Deanmylne*, *Lawthreis* younger, *Collarnie* elder and younger, Sir *James Scot* of Tarbet, *Ramkeillor Macgill* elder and younger, *Rosey* elder and younger, *Kingask*, *Robert Lumsden* of Montquhanie, Mr. *William Beatoune*, *Gilbert Paterson* of Litlekinhair, Sir *Ja: Melvill*, Aytoun of that Ilk, *Ormestoune* elder and younger, *Glenturkie*, *Forret*, *Month*, *Darsie*, *Unthanke*, *Woodmylne*. For the Presbytery of *Dumfirmling*, *Balmull*, Sir *James Hacket*, Sir *Robert Hacket*, Sir *John Erskene*, *Ballo*, *Cleish*, Sir *Henry Wardlaw*, *Tilliboill*, M. *Alexander Colvill* the Laird of Balbougie, Mr. *Robert Bruce* of Gellets, Mr. *Robert Preston* Tutor of Randifuird, L. *Spencerfield*, *Fordell Balmouto*, *Grange* younger, *Newton* elder & younger, *Kininmouth*, sir *Will. Anstruther* & his nephew, *Lugtoune* elder and younger, *Alexander Spittell* of Leuchert, Dowhill, *Robert Logane* of Coustoune. For the Burrowes in Fyffe, *James Watsone* Provest, or *James Lentroune* for St. Andrews. *George Jamesone* Provest, or *David Robertson* or *John Glaisford* for Couper. *Andro Daw*, or *Ninnain Hammiltoune* for Carraill. *James Reed* or *Peter Walker* for Dumferling. *Mark Kinglassie* or *John Braidie* for Innerkeithing, *James Law*, or *John*

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White for Kirkcaldie, *Monturpie* or *William Sympſon* for Dyſert, *Robert Alexander*, or *John Lindſay*, or *william Blak* for Auſtruther eiſter *Peter Oliphant*, or *David Ferrie* for Auſtrutherweſter, *Walter Airth*, or *William Steinſon*, or *James Richeſone* for Pittinwyme, *John Broune* or *Magnus Ayſtoun*, for Brunt Iland, *James Robertſon* or *George Gourlay* for Kinghorn, *Andro Howieſon* or *Robert Howieſon* for Kilrinnie, and *Patrick Murray* of Newtoune to be upon the foreſaid Committee for *Fyffe*.

Item, For the Shrieffdom of Linlithgow, The Lord *Duke* of Halmiltoun, the Earl of Hadingto un, the Earl of Callender, the Earl of Wintoune, the Lord *Levingſtoune*, the Lord *Torphichen*, the Lord *Bargany*, *Dundas*, elder and younger, *Meidhope*, *Bonhard*, *Maner*, ſir *Joſeph Dowglas* of Pumpherſtoune, ſir *William Murray* of Levingſtoune, ſir *John Hamiltoune* of Boighall, *Al. Hammiltonne* of Bynnie, *Fa. Dundas* of Brieſtmylne, M. *John Bruce* of Wray, *David Dundas* of Philpſtoune, Mr. *James Eiſtoune* of Couſtoune, *Al. Maxwell* of Dechmont, *Al. Hammiltoune*, of Parckley, M. *James Whythard* of Park, ſir *John Dundas*, of Newliſtoune, the Laird of Rickartoune Drumound, Mr. *Ja. Hammiltoune*, of Weſtporte, ſir *Archib. Stirling* of Cardeen, ſir *Ia. Stewart* of Kirkhill, Mr. *George Dundas* of Mortoune, Bangoure, *Io. Hamitoun*, *William Hammiltoune*, *william Heriot*, *George Bell* for Linlithgow, *James Glen* elder, M. *David Hay* of Wodcokdaill, *John Dick* or *James Hill* for Quenſferrie, *William Bruce* of Kincawill, M. *walter Dundas*, *Samuel Drummond* of Carlowrie, ſir *Alex. Seatoune* of Craigiehall, M. *william Sandilandis* of Hilderſtoune, *Francis Durhame* of Duntarvie, *William*

Monteith of Carribber, Mr. *David Sibald* of Kippis, Mr. *James Whithead* of Park, and *James Carmichall* of Potiſhaw, Mr. *George Lawſon* of Lowhell *Dundas* of Dudingſtoune, *James Monteith* of Carſeybank.

Item, For the Shrieffdome of Lanerk, the Lord Duke of Hammiltoune, the Earle of Lanerk, the Earl of Carnewarth, the Lord *Angus*, Lord *Barganie*, Lord *Belheavin*, ſir *James Lokhart* of Lea, ſir *Wil. Baily* of Lammingtoune, ſir *william Carmichael*, ſir *Wil. Lokhart*, *Gawne Hamiltoune* of Raploch, *Robert Hamiltoune* of Torrence, *John Hamiltoune* of Gilkerſcleugh, *Iames Winraham* of Wiſtoune, *Alex. Menzeis* of Coulterauis, *Iohn Hamiltoune* of Vdiſtoune, *Iames Hamiltoune* of Halcraig, *Iames Cunygham* of Bonytoune, *George Lokhart* of Tarbrax, *Iames Cunyghame* of Coblehauche *George Weir* of Harwode, *Robert Denholme* of Weſtſheild, *William Ballie* of Hardingtoune, *William Hamiltoune* of Darllerffe, *Iames Hamiltoune* of Boigis, *Quentene Hamiltoune* of Barncleuch, *william Hamiltoune* of Maynes, ſir *Iohn Cheſlie*, Mr. *Iohn Carmichaell*, the Proveſt and Bailies of Glaſgow, the Bailies of Lanerk, *Thomas Inglis* of Eaſtſheill, *William Chancellor* of Steilhill, *Ia. Thripland* in Biggar, *Iames Dickſone* of Stane, *Iames Hamiltoune* of Arnock, *Silvertounhill*, *Neliſlands Newtoune*, *Overtoune*, *Walſtoune*, *Bedlay*, *Dolphingtoune*, *Bagbie*, younger, *Hillis*, *Towcorſe*, Mr. *Iohn Hamiltoune* of Greine, *Corhouſe*, *Covingtoune*, *Kirktoune*, the Lord Juſtice Clark, *Kathkin*, *Stanebyres*, *Hags*, *Allantouni Woodhall* younger, *LeidHil*, *Ia. Gilhagie* and *David Spence* for Rutherglen, *Collonell William Lokhart*, Mr. *Iames Murehead* of Bradiſhelme, Mr. *Iohn Dunlope* of Gartukirk, *Iames Craford* of Kipbyres,

Iames

Iames Stevinſon of that Ilk, *William Bailie* of Carſine Preſtoune, Scottiſcraige, Cleilland, *VVil. Lowrie, Walter Hamiltoune* of Wiſhaw, *Gabriell Hamiltoune* younger of Weſtbarn, *Patrick Hamiltoune* younger of Nethertoune, *VVil. Kenedy* of Ochtiſardell, Mr. *Iohn Lockhart* of Heidis, *Iames Somerwell* of Cambuſnethen, *Iames Hammiltoune* in Lanerk, *Steven Lokhart* of Wickitſthaw, ſir *Iohn Maxwell* of Netherpollok, ſir *Iames Maxwell* of Calderwood, ſir *Iames Steward, William Hammiltoune* of Blantyreferme, *Iames Stewart Tutor* of Caſtelmilk, and the Laird of Bagbie younger *Iohn Scott* Proveſt of Rutherglen.

Item, For the Shiredome of Drumfries, the Earle of Drumfreis, the Earl of Nithiſdaill, the Earle of Carnwarthe, *Iames Crichtoune*, Shrieff of Nithiſdaill, L. *Lag*, L. *Cloisburne Craigdach*, *Da. Macbreui* of Newark, *Tho. Ferguſou* of Callothe, *Io. Creichtoune* of Crawfurieſtoune, *Dowglas* of Arkland, *Iohn Lowrie* of Maxwelltoune, Mr. *George Blair* of Spottill, *Iohn Wilſon* of Croiglene, *Andro Cunyghame* of Snab, *Andro Iohnſtoune* of Clachrie, *Robert Maxwell* of Portrak, *Iohn Dalrumple* of Waterlyde, *Iohn Greirſone* of Chappell, *Iohn Hairſtanes* of Craigs, Mr. *Iohn Corſane*, *Pa. Thomeſome of Smeidholem*, *Robert Dalzell* of Craigdarrothe, *Iohn Iohnſtoune*, and *Thomas Macburnie*, for the Burgh of Drumfries and *william Creightoune* for the Burgh of Sancqhuer, *Iames Dowglas* of Mortune, Kelheid, Applegirth, ſir *Iohn Greirſon* of Rokle, *Archbald Dowglas*, of Dornoche, *Iames Dowglas* of Mouſſils, *Ioh Iohnſtoune* of Wamphray, *Francis Scott* of Cairtherloune, *Matthew Wilſone* of Greinhill, *Waltter Scott* of Arkletoun, *Harbert Irving* of Bonſchaw, *William Irving*

of Cleucheid, Mr. *william Herreis* of Hairhatt, *Alex. Henderſon* of Broomhill, *Iohn Bell* of Albie, *Iohn Little* of Crakney, *Iohn Bell* of Crodieknow, *Iohn Carrutheris* of Dormont, *Io. Iohnſtoune* of Salcoth, *Iohn Bell* of Blaikethous, *Io. Hinderſone* for the Burgh of Lochmaben and *Mark Leiche* for the Burgh of Annan, and *Iohn Scott* of

Item, For the Shireffdom of Dumbartane, the L. *Balvie Foulwood*, *Ardcaple*, *Carrik*, *Colcine Campbell* of Ardemmie, *Iohn Deneſtonne* of Colgrain, *William Bountene* of Ardoche, *William Noble* of Ardardan, *Walther Macfarlan* of Arroquer, *Aulay Mackaulay fear* of Ardcaple, *Robert Colquhoun* of Ballermik, *Hew Crawfurd* of Cloberhill, *Iohn Colquhoune* of Kilmerdo me *Iohn Dowglas fear* of Keyſtoune *Gartſchoir* of that Ilk, *Iohn Deneſtoune* of Dalquherne, *Robert Naper* of Kilmarhew, *Iohn Sempill* of Dalmok. For the Town of Dunbartane, the preſent Proveſt, and Bailies, the L. of Kilburnie, ſir *Iohn Hamiltonne* of Orbeſtoune, Lord *Juſtice* Clerk, Houſtoune, and Bailie of the Barroine of Lenzie.

Item, For the Shrieffdom of Sterling, Duke *Hamiltoune*, Marqueſſe *Argyle*, Earl *Marr* Earl *Callender*, Lord *Elphingſtoune*, Mr. *Elphingſtoune*, Leivt. Generall *Bailie Stanhouſe*, *Quarrell*, *Powhous*, *Balgonie*, *Auchinbowie*, *Bannockburne*, ſir *Charles Erskene* of Bandeath, *Iohn Murray* of Levilandis, *Col. Rea* of Coltingho uſe, ſir *Tho. Nicolſone* of Carnok, *Boquhane*, *Leckie*, *Io. Graham feare* of Fintrie, *Culcreuch*, *Tho. Boqhannane*, Mr. *William Connyghame* of Ballindalloch, L. *Buchannane* and his ſon, L. *Drumakill*, *Ia. Stirling* of Baldernuche, L. of Pardowes elder and younger

younger, L. *Kilsythe*, *Hary Elphingstoun* of Carsie, L. *VVoodheid* younger, L. *Kirkland*, L. *Harbertschire*, *Edward Bruce* of *Carnok*, Sir *william Levingstoun* of Westquarter, Sir *Alexander Levingstoun* of Dalders, L. of Langtoun, Cap. *Normond Levingstoun*, Mr. *Jo. Rea* of Beircrofts, *Alexander Levingstoun* in Haning, *Jo: Rankein* in Slamannan, L. *Polmais*, L. *Carden*, *Robert Bruce* fiar of Kynnaird, Mr. *Andro Oiswald*, *John Schorte* Provest of Stirlin, Mr. *John Cowane* Dean of Gild, *Christopher Russell* Baily, *Thomas Bruce* old Provest, *Ja. Monteith* of Carseybank *Levingstoun* of Castelcarie, L. *Houstoun*, and Sir *James Hoipe*.

Item, for the Sheriffdom of Hadingtoun, and Baillierie of Lauderdail, The Earl of Wintoun, the Earl of Roxburgh, the Earl of Hadingtoun, the Earl of Lauderdail, the Earl of Lanirek, the Earl of Tweddell, the Earl of Dirletoun, the Lord Elibank, the Lord Belheavin, the Lord Yester, the Lord Innerpeffer, the Lo. Humby; the Lairds of Waughtoun, Ormestoun, Hermestoun, Clerkingtoun, Prestoun, Colstoun, Lamingtoun, Prestongrange, Gosfuird, Steinstoun, Alderstoun, Bairfuird, Ruchlaw, Lufenes, Keith, Woodheid, or his son, *Fuird*, *Craig*, *whitelaw*, Mr. *John Hepburn* of Smetoun, L. *Kilbirnie*, L. *Wedderburne* for Thurstoun, *Ia: Hay* of Linplum, *Andro Hammiltoun* Tutor of Ridhous, Sir *William Dick*, Mr. *william Hay*, ane of the Clerks of Session, the L. of Gamilscheillis, the L. of Elphingstoun; Mr. *Cornelius Inglis*, *Patrick Inglis* of Elvingston, *Hepburn* of Nunraw, *Levingtoun* of Saltcottis *Congiltoun* of that ilk, *whyt* of Markill, Mr. *Ia. Ramsay* of Fawsyde,

ſyde, Mr. *Alexander Hay* of Baro, *Francis Hepburne* of Beinſtoun, *Pa. Hepburne* of Monkrig, *Trumble* of *Skedisbus*, *Geo: VVood* of Newmylnes, *VVilliam Cairnes* of Pilmuré, *Jo: Purves*, *william Kirkwood*, *Robert Lawder* Portioner of Kingisbarnis, Mr. *Io: Sandilandis*, *VVilliam Sinclair*, Mr. *George Seatoune*, *Iohn Iowſte* of Weſtpannis, *David wilkie* of Dolphinſtoun, *James Hopper* of Bourehouſe, or his ſon, Sir *william Scot* of *Harden*, Mr. *Ro. Hairt* of St. *Iohns* Chappell, *Io: Erskene* of Dryburgh, Mr. *Jo: Atcheſone*, *Alexander Riddell* of Netherhaitſide, *Andro Ker* of Moreſtoun, Mr. *Alexander Home* of St. Leonards, Mr. *Io: Henderſone* of Kirktounhill, *Thomas Halyburtoun* of Binerſyde, *Io: Cokburne*, Proveſt of Hadingtoun, or any ane of the Baylies thereof; for the Burgh of Hadingtoun, *Ia. Lawder* or *william Purves*, or *Robert Iackſone*, or any ane of the Baylies of Dumbar. For the Burgh of Dumbar *Alexander Wilkieſone* or *Iohn Edmeſtoun*. For the Burgh of Lawder, *George Home* elder, for the Burgh of Northberwick.

Item, for the Sheriffdom of Berwick, Sir *David Home* of Wedderburn, elder and younger, L. *Langtoun*, the Laird of Blaikcader, the L. of Suntoun elder and younger, the L. o: Toftis, Sir *Ia: Home* of Eccles, Sir *VVilliam Scot* of Harden, Sir *Alexander Home* of Halibrunton, Sir *Ia: Cokburn* of Ryſlaw, Sir *Io: Home* of Crumſtane, the L. of Lambertoun, the L. of Idingtoun, *Io: Home* in Nynewalls, the L. of Lumſden, Mr. *Geo: Home* of Kimerghame, *VVilliam Lyll* of Baſsindean, L. of Thorndik, L. of Houndwood, L. of Blakhill, L. Nunledge, *Robert Dickſon* of Buchtrig, *Geo: Home* of Diringtoun, *VVilliam Home* of Linthiil,

Linthill, *Ia: Hoppringle* of Torſons, *Tho: Ker* of Merſingtoun, *Edward Trotter* of Darncheſter, *James Dickſon* of Belcheſter, *Geo: Home* of Swanfeild, Maſter *Ro: Sinclair* of Longformagus, *John Graden* of Ernſlaw, *Boig* of Burnhouſe, *Geo: Edgar* of Newtoun, Mr. *Robert Hairt* of St. *Iohns* Chappell, Mr. *Alexander Home* of St. Leonards, *Alexander Done* of Newtoun, *Io: Erſkene* Portioner of Dryburgh, *Tho: Halybruntoun* Portioner thereof, *Ia: Linlithgow* Portioner of Ridpeth, *Alexander VVilkieſon* Burges of Lawder for the Burgh of Lawder, *Lancelot Pringle* of Leyis, *Heirdrig*, *Plandergaiſt*, Sir *Ia: Nicolſone*, *Ro: Dickſone* of Overmayns, the L. of Fouldean, elder and younger, the Lord *Craighall*, the Lo: *Humbie*, *Io: Ker* of Merſingtoun, *Baſsindean*, *Coldinghamlaw*, *Lumſden*, the Laird of *Wedderlie*, *Edrem*, *Jo: Home* of Weſtreſtoun, *Geo: Bowmaker* of Whitrig, *Audro Ker* of Morieſtoun, Mr. *Jo: Home* of Bellietaw, the L. of Cokburne, L. *Trotter*, *Robert Craw* of Eiſtreſtoun, *Ja: Wardlaw*, *Ja: Coline* in Preſton, Mr. *Tho: Ridpeth* of Foulſchotleys, *Robert Dowglas* of Winſcheils, *Will. Craw* of Heuchheid, *George Craw* of Netherbyre, and *John Trotter* in Fogorig.

Item, for the Sheriffdom of Sutherland, the Earl of Sutherland, Sir *Alexander Sutherland* of Duffus, Sir *John Gordon* of Embo, *Robert Murray* of Spanzidail, *Robert Gray* of Skibo, *Robert Mouro* of Obſtaill, *Jo: Sutherland* of Clyne, *Hew Gordon* of Drunjoy, *william Gordon* of Doil, *Alexander Gordon* of Carnell, *Alexander Gray* of Ofpiſdail, *VValter Murray* of Abirtorſs, *Ro: Gray* of over Skibo, *Ro: Gray* of Ballone, *Hew Macky* of Skaurie, *VVilliam Macky* of Bighous,

and

and Maſter *Robert Gray* Proveſt of Dornoche.

Item, For the Sheriffdom of Clakmannan, the Marquis of Argyle, the Earl of Mar, Sir *Ro: Bruce* of Clakmannan, Sir *Alexander Schaw* of Sawchie, Sir *Charles Erskene* of Cambuskenneth, Sir *Andro Rollok* of Duncrub elder, *Robert Bruce* ſear of Clakmannan, Sir *Ja: Rollok*, Cap. *Hary Bruce*, Mr. *Robert Meldrum* of Tullibody, Mr. *Robert Bruce* of Schambody, Mr. *Andrew Bruce* of Woodlyde, *John Maſtertoun* of Parkhill, *VVilliam Grahame* of Hiltoun, *William Reid* of Craigheid, *Stirlin* of Harbertſchyre, Sir *Ja: Hope*, *Scottiſcraig*, Sir *John Erskene* of Balgownie, Mr. *VVilliam Blackburn*, and *Robert Maſtertoune* Baily of Clakmannan.

It, For the Shrieffdoms of Elgin and Forres, the Earls of Murray, Rothes, Dunferling, Callander, ſir *Rrbert Innes* of that Ilk, *David Dumbar* in Barmoth, *Alex. Dowglas* of Spynie, L. of findraſie L. of Duffus, ſir *Robert Gordoune* of Gordouneſtoune, the Shrieff of Murray elder, Proveſt of Elgine, Proveſt of Forres, *James Dumbar*, *in Alves*, *Ja. Spence* of Kirktoune, Mr. *David Stewart* of Newtoune, *David Roſs* in Erliſmylne, Laird of Brodie, L. of Grancehill, L. of Lethaine, Laird of Ballindalloche, ſir *Rober Innes* younger of that Ilk, Mr. *John Dowglas* of Moreſtoune, *John Innes* of Lewcharids, *James Gibſoune* of Muldarie, *Jo. Leſly*, in *Rothes*, *John Hay* of Konkaudie, Mr. *Iames Campbell* of Moy, *Robert Dunbar* of Eaſterbin, *Iames Dunbar* of Dumphaill, *Iames Falconer* portioner of Caullfauld, *Iames Dunbar* of Beggis, *walther Kynnard* of Cowbin, ſir *Loduik Gordoune*, Mr. *Iohn Hay*, *Nicholas Dunbar*

Dunbar

Dunbar of Burgie and *Alex. Montgomrie* in Forres.

Item, For the Shrieffdome of Nairne, *William Ros* of Clava, *Io. Sutherland* of Kinstarie, *Hew Rofs* fiar of Clava, *Iohn Grant* of Moynes, *Alex. Brodie* of Lethem, *Hew Hay* Tutor of Park, The Sheriff of Murray, *Thomas Dunbar* Tutor of Grange, *David Rofs* of Holme, *william Dollas* of Cantray, Mr. *Alex. Dollas* younger of Boutzeit, *Colen Campbells* of Delmes, *James Cuthbert* of Braichley, *Io. Innes* of Edingeicht, *Hew Rofs* of Kilrawick, *Io. Rofs* of Daltullie, *Alex. Dunbar* of Both, *Patrick Campbell* of Both. For the Burgh of Nairn *Iohn Rofs* Proveft, and *Iohn Tulloch*.

Item, For the Srieffdome of Peibles, *Iohn* Lord *Lintoun*, *Fo.* Lord *Zeſter*, Sir *Alexander Murray* of Blaikbaronie, the L. of Preſtongrange, *George Taite* of Pirne, *William Govan* of Cardron, *Andro Hay* of Hayſtoun, Mr. *Fohn Hay* his ſon, *Fa: Naſmith* of Poſſo, *Fo: Scot* of Huileſhope, *William Veitch* of Dawick, Sir *Fa: Murray* of Skirling, *Ro: Huntar* of Polmude, *william Twedie* of Wrae, *Fo: Dickſon* of Harttrie, Mr. *Alexander Dickſon* his ſon, the Laird of Litlehope, the L. of Rachanie, *William Ruſſell* of Shipperfeild, Mr. *Fa: Lawſone* of Ceirnemure, *Fa: Murray* of Romano, *walter Murray* of Halmyre, Mr. *Alexander Burnet* of Carloppis, Mr. *Pat. Brown* of Steinſtoun, Sir *Fa: Hay* of Smithfeild, *VVilliam Lyell* of Baſſindean, Mr. *will. Burnet* of Barnes, Mr. *Fo: Naſmith*, *Fo: Murray* of Kirkhous, Capt. *Fo: Murray* of Romanno, Mr. *Archibald VVilkie* of Harlawmure, Sir *Iohn Veitch* of Dawick, the Provoſt of Peebles, or any ane of the Baylies in his abſence, *Robert Hamiltoun* Tutour of Tewcoit, together with the Earls of Wigtoun, Traquair, & Tweddell.

Item, For the Sheriffdom of Bute, *Fa:* Duke of

Hammiltoun, the Marquis of Argyle, the Earl of Eglintoun, the Lo. Montgòmery, Sir *Ia: Stewart* Sheriff of Bute, Sir *Robert Montgomery* of Skelmurlie elder and the younger, and youngeſt Lairds of Skelmurlie, *Hector Bannatyne* of Kames, the L. *Kilchattane*, *Io. Stewart* of Ambriſmoir, *Io. Stewart* of Ardinho, *Ro: Bannatyne* of Lawkas, *Io: Hammilton* Baylie of Arran, *Alexander Campbell* of Pennimor, *Ro: Iameſon* of Mekilekilmorie, *Ia: Stewart* of Kilquhinlick, *Ro: Campbell* of Achinwilling, *Neill Macneil* of Kilmorie, *Donald Campbell* of Kirkmichell, *Donald Macneil* younger of Kilmorie, *Ninnian Stewart* of Kergeizean, *Ninnian Bannatyne* of Kerielamrone, *Neil Macneil* Bailey of Rothſay, *Donald Macgilchreiſt* Burges younger, *Ro: Stewart* of Mecknok.

Item, For the Sheriffdom of Air, the Earl of *Lowdoun* Lord High Chancellor of Scotland, the Earl of Glencairn, the Earl of Eglintoun, the Earl of Caſsillis, the Earl of Dumfreis, the Lord *Montgomery*, the Lo: *Roid*, the Lo: *Cathcart*, the Lo: *Roſs*, the Lo. *Bargany*, the Lo: *Cochran*, the Lairds of Collein, Grimet, *Macilven*, *Kirkmichaell*, elder, younger, and youngeſt, *Penkill* elder and younger, *Balloche*, *Kerres*, *Corſlayes*, *Kildonnan* younger, *Gilbert Kennedy* of Dewcray, *Adam whitfuird*, *Fergus Maccubine*, Mr. *Hew Catchart*, *Gaſtoun*, *Ceſnok*, *Bar*, *Gatgirth*, *Corsbie*, *David Kennedie* of Bellymore, *Gilmerſcroft* younger, *Kinginclench*, *Watterheid*, *Park*, *Stair*, *Jo: Kennedie* late Provoſt of Air, *Leauchane* younger, *Faill*, Mr. *Robert Berkeley*, *Crawfordland*, *Corſhill*, *Blair*, *Kilbirnie*, *Rowallane*, elder and younger, *Baidland*, *Dunlope*, *Ralſtoun*, *Kirkland*, *Auchnames*, *Heiſlet*, *Adam Ritchie* Bailey of Air, *Robert Brown*, the three Lairds of Skelmurlie, Biſhoptoun, Periſtoun, *Adamtoun* younger, *Huntarſtoun*, *Jo: Reed* Proveſt of Irwing, *Cunninghamheid*, *Jo: Oisburne*, *Enterkine*, *Alexander*

xander Crawfurd of Netherskeldoun, *Adam Blair* of Lochwood, Sir *William Scot*, *Hew Kennedie*, L. of *Blair*, *Jo: Creichtoun* of Castelmaynes, *Hew Hammilton* of Bordliun, *Jo. Rofs* of Dreghorn, *Mungo Boiswall* of Dunlair, *Jo: Campbell*, Major *william Stewart*, *Io. Campbell* of Skeanstoun, *william Hammilton* of Garrise, *Charles Boiswall* of Barlandnothain, *Boid* of Trochrig, *Fergus Maccumming* in Balquhame, *Barskynning*, *Ja: Cambell* of Newmylnes and Dowcathall.

Item, For the Sheriffdom of Kincardine, the Earls Mershell, Southesk, Pammure, Ethie, the Vicount of Arbuthnot, the Lo: Abercrombie and their sons, the the Lord *Frafer*, *Halgrinc* elder, *Johnstoun* younger, General Major *Middletoun*, *George Keith* brother to the Earl Mershel, the Lairds of Pittarro, Lowrenstoun, Morphie elder and younger, *Craige*, *Thornetoun*, *Balmayne* elder and younger, Col. *Henry Mauld* of Ropakellie, the L. of Leyis, Balbegno, Mr. *David Falconer* of Glenferqher, *Ia: Dowglas* of Stainpeth, *Pa: Falconer* of Newtoun, *John Barkclay* of Johnstoun, *Robert Keith* of Whytrigs, *Halgreine* younger, *Glenberuie*, *Elsick*, *Arthur Stratoun* of Sindone, the Tutor of Allardyce, Col. *Hary Barkcley*, *Tillequille*, *Brigfuird*, Sir *James Ramsay* of Denholme, the L. of Fiddes, the L. of Portlethem, *George Ogilve* of Lungare, *Robert Arbuthnot* of Reterlane, *Alexander Keith* of Kirktounhill, *Iames Keith* of Cauldhame, *Alexander Wood* of Craigneston, *Io. Strauchane*, *Andro Stratoune* of Hill, *Iames Thomson* of Cheyne, the L. of Pitfoddellis, *Ia.* Wishart of Arduthie, Sir *Io: Falconer* of Bruntoun, and Mr. *Alexander Wood* of Netherbenholme.

Item, For the sheriffdom of Roxburgh, the Earls of Cassillis, Roxburgh, Louthian, Bucleuche, Hadingtoun, Traqhair, the Lord Cranston, Sir *William Dowglas* of Cavers, Sir *Andro Ker* of Greinheid, Sir *Tho:*

Ker of Cavers, Sir *Walter Riddell* of that Ilk, Sir *William Scot* of Harden, *Archbald Dowglas* fiar of Cavers, *John Scot* of Gorrenberrie *William Ellot* of Stobus elder and younger, *Robert Langlandis* of that ilk, *Walter Scot* of Gaudilands, *Archbald Ellot* of Falneſche, *Robert Scot* of Braidhauche, *Gedion Scot* of Harden, Mr. *Gilbert Ellot* of Craigend, *Will. Ker* of Newtoun, *Andro Rutherford* younger of Hunthill, *John Rutherford* of Bankend, *Robert Rutherford* Bailey of Jedburgh, *Gawne Ellot* of Grange, *Robert Ker* of Newhall, *Andrew Dowglas* of Freirſchaw, *Robert Ker* of Fadounſide, *Gedion Wauchope* in Woodhead, *Jo: Halyburtoun* of Murehouſlaw, *Ja: Lythgow* of Drygrange, *George Rutherford* of Fairningtoun, *Andro Ker* of Littledean, *Andro Ker* of Chatto, *Andro Ker* of Maſsindew, *Robert Pringel* of Stitchel, *William Scot* of Mangertoun, *Tho: Macdowgall* of Stodrig, *Robert Ker* of Midilmiſtwalls, *John Ker* in Halden, *Andro Ker* of Lyntoun, *Ja: Ker* of Thornden, *Jo: Ker* of Lochtour, *Io: Ker* of Gaitſchaw, Mr. *William Moir* of Otterburn, *Andro Bell* of Mow, *Robert Pringel* Portioner of *Cliftoun*, *Andro Ker*, in Quhittoun, *John Rutherford* of Kaiphope, *Walter Riddell* Portioner of Bewlie, *Alex. Done* Portioner of Littlenewtoune, *John Scot* of Breirzairds, *William Ker* in Swynſyde, *Jo: Bierhope* of that ilk, *Jo: Rutherfurd* of Aggerſtoun, *Robert Scot* of Weſterhope, *James Scot* of Whytſhauch *Hary Cranſtoun*, ſir *Tho: Ker* of Gaitſyde, *George Moſcropt*, *Ker* of Corbat, *Moir* of Otterburn of Hiltoun, *Ja Haſwel:* of Ulſtoun.

Item, For the Sheriffdom of Perth, Sir *George Preſtoun* of Valeyfeild, Sir *Io: Erskene* of Balgonie, Mr. *Ia: Merſer* of Adie, Sir *Io: Halden* of Glennegies, *Ia: Stirling* of Auchyle younger, *Archibald Stirling* of Couldache, *Iames Drummond* of Milnabe, *Io: Dow* fiar of Arnehall, *David Dog* of Ballingrew, *Henry Sinclair* of

of Clafsingall *Ia: Ure* of Shurlington, *Hary Home* of Argatie, Mr. *Ia: Henderſon* of the L. of Glenurquhie elder and younger *Menzies* of Weymis *Campbell* of Laweris, *Alexander Robertſone* of Lude *Iohn Blair* of Pittindreich *William Lindſey* of Kinloche, *Robert Muſchet* of Craighead, *Thomas Bruce* of Blairhall, *Gilbert Gourlay* of Weſtgrange. *James Blair* of Ardblair, *Gilbert Ramſey* of Bamph, *Jo. Ogilvie* Murtoune, *William Souffar* of Mylnehauch, *Alex. Ramſey* of Jordieſtoune, *David Rattray* of Craighall, *Pa. Butter* of Gormok, *William Fullartoune* of that Ilk, *James Cambells* of Crionane, *Gilbert Campbell* of Kethyke, Mr. *James Grahame* of Monorgne, *James Gray* of Belleggernay, *Patrik Gray* of Inchſturie, or his two ſons, Sir *Patrik Ogilvie* of Inchmertene, Sir *Peter Hay* of Megginſche, *Peter Hay* of Leyis elder and younger, *William Bruce* of Fyngask, Sir *Tho: Blair* of Balthayok, *Hew Mitchell* of Kymaroquhy, *William Butter* of Argaithe, *Tho: Stewart* of Garntullie, Mr. *Ro.* Nairne of Strathuird younger, Sir *William Stewart* of Innernytie, *Patrik Murray* of Mylnehill, Mr. *Robert Meldrum* of Gogor, Mr. *Francis Hay* of Balhouſhe, *George Hay* of Kirkland, *Patrik Hay* tier of Pitfoure, ſir *Iohn Moncreiff* of that ilk, ſir *Tho: Ruthven* of Frieland, ſir *David Carmichaell* of Balmedie, Mr. *David Kynloche* of Bandoche, *Ia. Halyburtoune* of Buttergask, *Io. Moncreif* of Eiſtermoncrieff, *Alex. Menzies* of Comrie, *David Drumond* of Innermay, *Ia. Drumond* fiar of Machmay, *Alex. Murray* of Strivane, Sir *James Rollok* fiar of Duncrub, Mr. *George Graham* of Inchbrakie, *Io. Graham* of Balgowen, *William Murray* of Keillour, *Io. Oliphant* of Bachiltoune, ſir *William Ouchinleck* of Balmanno, *Harie Sterling* fiar of Ardoch, *Harie Drumond* of Pitcarns, *David Murray* of Kinkell, Mr.

Mr. *Hew Moncreiff* of Tybbermalloche, Mr. *Iohn Murray* of Cowdoun, Mr. *Iohn Drumond* of Lemach, *David Drumond* fiar of Coquellie *David Drumond* of Drumonderynoth, *Tho: Blair* of Tarlappie, *VVilliam Oliphant* of Balgony, *William Hutton* of Ballolysk, Mr. *William Blackburn* Factor to the Marquis of Argyle, *Robert Arnote* Provest of Perth, *Iohn Conquerour*, *Andrew Butter*, *Io: Merser* and *Archbald Lamb* Baylies, *Ia: Kennewie* for Culros, *Andro Pitcarne* of Innernytie younger, Lieutenant General *David Lesley*, Sir *Iohn Brown*, *Edward Bruce* of Carnok, *Iohn Spence* of Blair, *Francis Hay* of Strowie, *Dundas* of Manner L. *Craighall* younger, the Tutor of Abercairne, *Ia: Aikine* for the Burgh of *Culros*, Sir *Iohn Dundas* of Fenizeis, *Io: Stuart* of Aimat *Grahame* of Boquappill *Grahame* of Gallinegad of Bowquhasill *Murray* of Lochland *Maxtoun* of Cultoquhy, *Ia: Monteith* of Carsiebank, and Mr. *Ia: Strauchand* of Inchstuthill, and for the Noblemen the Marquis of Argyle, the Earls of Arroll, Atholl, Murray, Perth, Tullibardine, Weymes, and their eldest sons, the Lord Cardross, the Lo. Couper, the Mr. of Gray.

Item, the Stewartrie of Kirkcudbright, The Earls of Cassillis and Nithisdaill, the Vicount of Kemmure, the Lo. Garleis, the Lord Kirkclidbrght, Lo. Lea, the Lairds of Lag, Orcheardtoune, Balmagie, Larg, Carsluth, Leivtennent Collonell *Gordoune* of Rusco, the Laird of Calye younger, the Laird of Cairletoune, *Richart Moor* of Cassincarrie, the Lairds of Kirkconnell, Robertoune, Knokbrax, Mr. *Will. Gordoune* fear of Erlestoune, *William Gordoune* of Shirmours, Lairds of Troquhane, Holyme, Barcaple, Collenie, Barscoib, Kirkgray, Bargattoune, Shambellie, Grange, Gribdyk, Kirkhouse, Barnbachlay, Gelstoune, Menquhill,

hill, Fairgirth, Airdis, *John Brown* younger at the Brigend of Drumfries, *John Carſane* of Synnick, *James Gordoune* Proveſt of Newgallowey, *William Matcaddam* Bailie, *John Ewart* younger of Mullok, *John Logane* of Enrick, *Andro Lindſey* of Auchinſkeoch, *John Cutler* of Oroland, the Lairds of Knokgray, Largmoir, Murdoche, Lochinkit, *George Callender* Bailie of Kirkcudbry, The Lairds of Crogo, Kirkdaill, Auchniguill, Gairlarge, Balmaine, Newlaw, Blakmad and Mr. *William Hay* of Aberlady.

Item, For the Shrieffdom of Wightoune, The Earle of Caſſillis, Lo. *Airdes*, Lo. *Gairleis* Shrieff of Wightoune elder and younger, Sir *Robert Adair* of Kinhilt, the Lairds of Logane elder and younger, Park, Freuche, Craigcaffie, Balneill, Ardwell, Achrochar, Sniones, Gilleſpick, Knokglais, Killeſter elder and younger, *Andro Macdowell* of Leſnall, *Patrick Agnew* of Schewſan, *Ja. Kenedy* Factor to the Earl of Caſſillis, the Lairds of Dunraggat, Larg, Litledunragat, Gaimoch the Proveſt of Stranrawer, the Lairds of Barnbarrow, Craichlaw, Mertoune, Mothrune, Brochtoune, Kilcreuchie, Baledone, Grange, Gleſnok, Phintilloch, Wig, Darregill, Drumorell, Munraith, Drumaſtoune elder and younger *Houſtoune* of Kintreoch, the Proveſt of Wigtoune, the Proveſt of Withorn, *Stewart* of Condargie, *Francis Hay* of Terriallane, *Dumbar* younger of Morhrum, *Gordoune* of Balmeg, *Hew Kennedy* of Arehemane, *Pa. Mackie* of Kairne *Agnew* of Galdnioche, *William Gordoune* of Pennyghame, the Lairds of Garthland, and Mr. *James Blair*.

Item, For the Shrieffdom of Ranfrew, the Earles of Glencairne, Eglingtoune, the Lord *Roſs*, Lo. *Montgomrie*, Lo. Sempill, Lo. *Cathcart*, *Gochrane*, the Lord

juſtice

juſtice *Clerk*, the Laird *Houſtoune* and his ſon, the Lairds of Newark, Netherpollok, Craigame, Biſhoptoune elder and younger, Grencok, Duchald elder and younger, Barrachane, Blackhall younger, Raiſtoune, Blanderſtoune, Southbas, Weiklandis, Roiſeland, Caſtelhill. For the Toune of Ranfrew *James Alexander* Burges of Paiſley, *John Spreull* younger, Cauldwell of that Ilk, Sir *Houſtoune*, *Porterfield* of that Ilk, *Robert Hall* of Filbert, *Andro Sempill*, the Lairds of Jordanhill, Litlecaldwell, Mr. *John walkinſchaw*, *Simeon Birſbane* of Selveyland, and the Laird of Blair.

Item, For the Shrieffdom of Farfar, the Marques of Argile, the Earles of Buchane, *Tullibardine Southesk*, *Panmuir*, Ethie, the Vicount of Dudope, the Vicount of Arbuthnot, the Lords *Carnegie*, *Brechen*, *Loure*, *Spynie*, *Couper*, *Halkertoune*, Maſter of Gray, Lo. *Fynnirpeffer* and his ſon, the Lairds of Edzell, Craige, Dun, Balnamoon, Balzordie, Fintrie elder and younger, Ruthven, Balgillo, Newgrange, Mr. *John Fothringhame* Tutor of Pourie, the Lairds of Dunnoon, Claverhous, Monorgune, Gairden, Pitmowes, Melgum, Kilganie, Teilling, Strikmertene, Grange elder and younger, Findowrie, Carſl, Blakneſſe, Guthrie, Pitforthie, Dryburgh, Crangie, Balmadies, Gwynd, *Peter Lyone* fear of Coſſines, Duntrone, Brigtoune, Beingſtoune, Dronlau, Balgay, Pitſtlandly, *Peter Young* of Seytoune, *David Carnegie* of Banmathie, *David Souttar* of Wardintre, *Alex. Carnegie* of Cruikſtone, *Patrik Anderſon* of Barnonth, *John Fullertoune* of Kynnabir, *Patrik Murray* of Kardon, *John Scrymegeor* of Kirktoune, *Ja. Scot* of Logy, *Thomas Halyburntoune* for Dundie, *Thomas Mudie*, *William Weymes*, *Alex. Bowar* younger, *Andro Gray* for Montros, *James Mylne* younger, *John Skynner* and *George Steill* for Breichen, *John Ochterlony* and *Alex.*

Futhie

Futhie for Aberbrothok, *Alex. Strang* and *John Mylne* for Forfar, *James Pedie* for Montros, *George Campbell* of Lundie, *John Ocherlony* of Westerseatoune, *John Carnegie* of Newgaite, *William Ocherlony*; Laird of Pittarro *Arbuthnot* of Blaikstoune, Affleck of that Ilk, The L. of Kynnadie, *John Garne* of Midletoun, *James Durhame* of Lardouny Mr. *Jo. Gilmor*, *Andro Lyone* of Delgetie Lairds of Beysak and Afflek.

Item, For the Shrieffdom of Selkirk, Earles Buckclugh, Traquair, Tweddell, Lords, Lyntoune, Zester, Eliebank, Master of Eliebank Lairds of Phillopehauche, Harden elder and younger Stobbis, Quhitslaid, Harden, Collonell *Walter Scot* of Hartwoodburn, Thirlestane, Mangertoune, Gallowschellis, Torwodly, Hartwoodmyres, Tordrig, Tushellaw, Bowhil, Braidmedowis, Midlestead, Sutherlandhal, Phillone, *Thomas Scot* for the Town of Selkirk, *William Scot* of Sintoun, *George Curror* of Howdoune, *John Scot* of Gilmylieschleugh, the L. of Stobis elder and younger, Sir *James Murray* of Deuchare and *James Prigill* of Whytbank.

Item, For the Shrieffdom of Banff, the Marques of Argyle, Earles of Mershell, Buchane, Findlater, Vicount of Frendraught, Lord *Deskfure* the Master of Banff, *walter Ogilvie* of Boyn, Sir *Robert Innes* of that Ilk, and in his absence *Peter Meldrum* of Lichnet, *Alex Abercrombie* elder of Birkingboig, *Alex. Ogilvie* elder of Kempkairn, *James Sutherland* of Bavleine, *John Grant* of Ballendalloche, *John Lyon* of Troupe, Lairds of Kinnernoone, Baldavie, Tulliche, Ryland, Anchingtoull, Dunluguis, Skethe, Halzeardis, *Patr. Gordoune* of Badiuscoith, *william Orde* of Smeauchtie, *Robert VVilsone* of Brakenhillis, Mr. *James Hay* of Muldavit, the Lairds of Blackwater, Stainely, Ro. Makingzeis, *VVilliam Lawtye* in Mirehous, L. *Anchmedden* Provest for the town of Banff, *George Stewart* Bailie thereof, *VVilliam Lesley* Bailie of Cullen, *Patrik Stewart* of Outlaw, *Alexander VVinchester* Bailie of Banff, Mr. *Alex.* Dowglas of Downeis of Dow-

neis *Brandoune Baird* of Northfield, *Alexander Ogilvie* of Knok, *Gordoune* of Rothemay, *walter Ogilvie* of Raggell, *walter Ogilvie* of Leidſyve, Levte. Collonell *Innes*, *Gordoune* of Straloche, *Berold Innes* of Kinkorth, *william Ogilvie* of Boigheads, Laird of Kempkairne, younger, *Innes* of Auchlonkart, and *Johne Ogilvie* Bailie of Culland.

Item, For the Shrieffdom of Aberdeen, The Marqueſſe of Argyle, the Earles of Arroll, Marchell Buchane, Dumferling, Callender, Vicount of Frendraught, Lord *Pitſligo* Lord *Forbes*, the Lord *Fraſer*, the Lairds of Innercauld, Beltie, Skene of that Ilk, *Arther Forbes* of Eight, Corſnidae, Leſlie, Tolquhoune, Watertoune, Knappernane, Auchreddie, Petnacaddell, *VVilliam Seytoune* of Maninie, *VVilliam Seytoune* of Miunes, Lairds of Anchincraw, Rainſtoune, Crimonmogat, Brunthill, Ardiffrie, Dunlugus, Ludquharne younger, Auchnedden, Eiſtertyrie, Techmiurs, Clakriache, Philliorth, Udnie, Mr. *James Baird* of Litlefiddies, Pitcaple, Leſmoir younger, Craigievar, Auldmad, Ornehill, Pitfoure, Dyce, Culter, Bythe, *william Dalgarno* of Blakwater, *Alex. Morieſone* of Bignie, *Patrick Leſlie* Proveſt of Aberdeen, Mr. *Robert Farquer* of Muny, *Thomas Mortumer* late Bailie of Aberdeen, *Robert Irving* of Feddrit, *Io. Irving* in Brunklay, the Lairds of Birkingboig, Muresk, Memſie, Petfoddellis, Muriefauld, Badniſhoche, Coclirachie, Tullos, Logie, *George Buchane* of Saphock, *George Hay* of Auchquhairne, Mr. *Alex. Menzies* of Kilmundi, *Alex. Gordoune* of Biſmoir, Mr. *Thomas Sandilands* of Crubſtoun, *Johne Veny* of Newplace, *Elphingſtoune* of Glack, *Iohn Meldrum* of Auchnevir, *VValter Stewart* of Blairtoune, the Tutor of Pitſligo, *Robert Mertene* of Clerkhill, *Io. Forbes* of Largino, *Alex. Iaffray*, L. Glenkindie, the preſent Bailies of Aberdene, *Ia. Ogilvie* of Raghill, Kincragy Leſly, *Leſly Forbes* elder and younger, *Forbes* of Aſloune, *Iohnſtoune* of Cragy, *Forbes* of Innernachty.

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Item, For the Shrieffdom of Innernes and Cromerties the Marqueſſe of Argyle, the Earle of Murray, the Laird of Kilraick, Clava, Macintoſche and his brother Lauchlane, *Iohn Forbes* of Cullodin Proveſt of Innernes, ſir *Iames Frafer* of Bray, *Hew Frafer* of Kynnaries, *Rorie Mackenzie* of Ridcaſtell, *Alex. Dunbar* of Bennetffeild, *Roskenes*, Tarbet and his ſon, Cromartie, Dunskeath, Finraſſie, Obſtaill, Lemlair, Balkney, Innerkraikie, Prieſthill, Sir *Robert Innes* younger, The L. Balnagoune, *David Roſs* of Pitcamie, *Iames Matcullothe* of Kindes, *Andro Matculloch* Proveſt of Tayne, The Lairds of Dunbeath, May, Grunzeard, Arkboll, Coynag, *William Maccentoſch* of Killathie, *David Roſs* of Holme, *Dollas* of Cantrey, *Alex. Macpherſone* of Eſigh, *wil. Fraſer* of Culboky, *Duncanne Forbes* of Cullodin *Hew Fraſer* of Belladrum *Hew Fraſer* of Strivy, *Hew Fraſer* of Foyger, *Iohn Cuthbert* of Caſtelhill, *Angus Chiſholme* of Comer, *William Bailie* of Dunnane, *Robert Innes* of Calraſſie, *Io. Roſs* of Aldie, Mr. *Io. Roſs* of Pittindrech, *Iames Cutbert* of Drakyes, *Alexander Forreſter* of Colinald, *Duncanne Bayme* of Kilmure, *Iohn Maccleud* of Dunvagane, *Rorie Maccleane* of Callaſker, Mr. *Macintoſche* of Thorneagrein, *William Robertſone* of Inſhes, *Ia. Roſs* of Marknes, *Io. Polſtoune* late Bailie of Innernes, *Iohn Corbet* of Litlerani, *walter Roſs* of Innercharrane, Cap. *Dougall Mackpherſane*, *Neill*, *Monro* of Findoune, and *Hew Monro* of Contuliche, *William Macintoſche* of Holme, *Angus Macbane* of Tordarrach, *Iohn Macbane* of Kinkell, *Iohn Grant* of Lurg, Mr. *Iohn Grant* of Gilliequhappill, *Evan Camron* of Lochi, *Thomas Schives* of Murretoune.

Item, For the Sheriffdom of Argyle, the Lord Marquis of Argyle, the Laird of Glenurquhy elder, and younger, L. Auchinbrek, *Colein Campbell* of Lochinzell, *Collein Campbell* of Straquhair, *Archbald Campbell* of Otter, *Duncane Campbell* of Elangrige, *Lauchlane Maclauchlane* of that ilk, Sir *Archbald Iohnſtoun* of Warieſtoun, *Ia: Campbell* of

Ardkinglas, *Duncan Campbell* Captain of Carrik, *Duncan Campbell* Capt. of Dunoon, *Neil Campbell* of Duntrone, *Duncan Campbell* of Innerleive, *Archbald Campbell* Captain of Craigneis, *Hector Macalaſter* of Loup, *Colein Macclauchlane* Capt. of Inchoneil, Mr. *Dowgall Campbell* of Lag, *Hew Macquorquodail* of Phantillanes, *Archbald Campbell* of Glencarradill, *Alexander Macnauchtane* of Dundarrow, Sir *Donald Campbell* of Ardnamurchan Knight Baronet, *Archbald Campbell* Capt. of Dunſtaffnage, *Io: Campbell* of Ardchattane, *Hector Maccleane* of Terloisk, *George Cambell* Tutor of Calder, *Dougall Campbell* of Inneraw, *Donald Campbell* of Barbrek, *Io: Campbell* of Druniſeyme, *Donald Cambell* of Drumaſſane, *Colein Campbel* of Ardintoun, *Duncan Campbel* Bailey Depute of Knapdail and *Geo: Campbel* Sheriff Depute of Argyle.

Item, for the Sheriffdom of Caitnes, *Francis Sinclair* of Northfield, Sir *Ia: Sinclair* of Canniesbie, Sir *Iohn Sinclair* of Dunbeth, Sir *Iames Sinclair* of Murkill, the L. of Dun, *William Sinclair* of Ratler, *Ia: Sutherland* of Forſs *Pa: Sinclair* of Ulbſter, *Io: Sinclair* of Tannache, *Iohn Sinclair* of Aſſerie, *Iames Sinclair* of Bowar, *William Innes* of Borlum, *Robert Innes* of Thirſeter, *Alexander Innes* of Burrowſtoun, *Ia: Innes* of Sanſyde, *Charles Caddell* of Lynager *David Congill* of that ilk, *Iohn Murray* of Pennieland, *Iohn Sinclair* of Bryme, the Laird of Stanſtell, *Walter Bruce* of Ham, *Alex. Mullikene*, *David Monro* of Buckies, *Robert Murray* & *George Abernethie*. And for the better keeping of the days and diets *reſpectivè* after mentioned by the Committees of War of the ſeveral Shires abovewritten: The Eſtates of Parliament appoints the perſons afternamed to be Conveeners of the ſaids Committees for their firſt meetings, which is appointed to be at the ſeveral days underwritten, whoſe names are condiſcendit upon by the Commiſſioners for the Shires, *viz.* The Laird of Arneſtoun for the Committee of the Sheriffdom of Edenburgh: The Laird of Naughtoune for the Committee of Fyffe, Sir *Ro: Drummond* of Meidhope for the

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Committee of Lithgow, the L. of Raploche for the Committee of Lanerk, the Provoſt of Dumfreis for the committee of Dumfreis, the L. of Fulwood for the Committee of Dumbartoun, the L. of Weſtquarter for the committee of Stirling, the L. of Waughtoun for the committee of Hadingtoun, the L. of Langhtoun for the Committee of Berwick, the L. of Skibo for the Committee of Sutherland, the L. of Sauchie for the Committee of Clakmannan, Sir *Ro: Gordoun* for the Committee of Elgine, *John Grant* of Moyns, for the Committee of Nairn, the L. of Blakbarronie, for the Committee of Peebles, the Sheriff of Bute for the Committee of Bute, the L. of Ceſnok for the Committee of Air, the L. of Johnſtoun *Barkcley* for the Committee of Kincairn, Sir *Will. Dowglas* of Gavers, or his ſon for the Committee of Roxburgh, the L. of Bachiltoun for the Committee of Perth, the L. of Cairltoun for the Committee of Kirkcudbright, the Lo: *Gairleis* for the committee of Wigtoun, *John Keith* of Clackreath for the committee of *Aberdeen*, the L. of Pollok, Maxwell for the committee of Renfrew, the Laird of Balnamonie, for the committee of Forfar the L. of Quitflaid for the committee of Selkirk, the L. of Auchmedden for the committee of Bamff, *Tho: Scheives* Sheriff Depute of Innernes for the committee of Innernes, *George Campbell* Sheriff Depute of Argyle for the Sheriffdom of Argyle, and *Francis Sinclair* of Notrhfield for the committee of Caithnes. Which perſons above condiſcended upon, and appointed to be Conveeners of the Committees of the ſeverall Shires, for the firſt meetings. The Eſtates ordains to advertiſe the foreſaids ſeverall committees to keep the days of meeting *reſpective* after ſpecified: And for this effect, ordains the Commiſsioners of the Shires to advertiſe thoſe who are appointed to be Conveeners of the ſaids Committees in every Shire in due time to keep the dayes and times of meeting *reſpective* underwritten. And the Eſtates of Parliament Declares, That none of the Perſons, either Co-

lonells or upon the Committees of War of the severall Shires who are guilty of the crimes in the first or second Class of the Act of Classis at St. *Andrews*, and fallis under the same first or second Class shall be either Colonells, or upon the Committees of War *respective* foresaid, notwithstanding of the nomination and election above mentionat, with power to the foresaids Committees of War, or any nine of them as the *quorum* of every Committee of each severall Shire, except the Shire of Aberdeen, whereof the *quorum* of that Shire is to be fifteen of their own consent, beside the conveeners of the saids Committee, whom they are hereby Authorised to make choice of amongst themselves from time to time as they shall think fitting, after the first meeting to meet those on this side of *Tay* upon the Ninth day of *May* next: And these betwixt the waters of *Tay* and *Spey* the Twelvth day of the said moneth of *May* next: And these by-north the water of *Spey* the fifteenth day of the same moneth of *May* next: And thereafter once of the week at the least at the Head Burgh of the Shire or any other convenient place they please; and there to take speciall triall, and make present lists of the hail sensible persons betwixt sixty and sixteen within their Shire, and to take speciall care to see both the Foot and Horsmen sufficiently provided with Armes, and that the Shires be continued in the same divisions that were formerly, and a distinct part thereof appointed for every one of the Colonells foresaids within their bounds: And if any debate arise concerning these divisions, which cannot be setled with consent: That the same be represented to the Parliament or Committee of Estates, and that they reduce the hail sensible persons in the Shire as well to Burgh as Land into regiments, foot-companies and horse troups: which being done, that the Committees be advise of the Colonels appoint all under Officers necessary for commanding all these under their charge: And that they be sufficiently provided with all furniture necessary, and dreilled and exercised in manageing their Arms, every Regiment once in the moneth,

and every Company and Troop once in the week, at such places as the saids Committees and Colonels shall appoint; who are hereby required to see the Captains of each Company provided with Colours and Drums, and the Rutmasters with Cornets and Trumpets, and that they be in readinesse as they shall receive order from the Parliament or Committee of Estates, to bring forth such number and proportion of the Forces of their Shire with sufficient furniture, Armes and Provision as they shall be required.

And it is hereby provided that the Burroughs Royal within the Shires shall have the nomination of their Captains, and under Officers; and their men to be exercised within their own Town, and shall not be obliged to keep other places of Mustering within the Shire till the Regiments of that Division, wherein the Burgh lies, be called to march or go upon service: In which case each Burgh is to furnish a proportionable number of well armed men, conform to the number furnished by the Shire: And who are to go on in the service under, and receive command from the Colonells and others Officers named as said is. And for the good of the service; It is Ordained, That the severall Committees aforesaid, appoint some sure place for Magazines of Ammunition and Arms for the use of the Shire. And that the whole work may be the better furthered and avanced, the Committees and Colonels foresaids, are hereby Ordained to labour so far as in them lies to entertain unity and love amongst all his Majesties good Subjects in these Bounds: And that all private quarrels in case any shall happen to fall out among any well affected persons be setled and removed amicablie. Otherways that the same be represented to the Committee of Estates: And if any Tumult or Insurrection break forth in the Shire, by Malignants or dis-affected persons, or if any shall offer to oppose or obstruct by violence the resolutions of the Parliament or Committees thereof, With power to the saids Committees and Colonels to use all means to compesst them. And if need be, to pursue the raisers of the said Tumults and publike opposers of the Resolutions of the Estates in a Hostill way by the strength of the Shire: And if the Insurrection or opposition come to that height that the Shire where it falls out, is not able to suppress the same, that the Colonels, Committees, and Commanders of the next adjacent Shires on all quarters (with whom the Committees *respective* are to keep correspondence) joyn for suppressing the same, as they shall receive advertisement from the Committee of Estates, or Committee of the Shire where the Insurrection is. And in case of any Forraign invasions by Sea or Land, that the Colone

lonels and Commanders rise in Armes with the whole strength of the Shire, Horse and Foot for resisting the same; and by Beacons and otherways give timeous advertisement thereof to the Countrey & next adjacent Shires, who are hereby commanded to rise and concur in the pursuit of the saids Invaders and raisers of commotion or trouble: And if they, or any others assisting them in these unlawfull deeds shall flie to strengths and houses With power to the saids Colonels, Commanders, and others that joyn with them, to raise, fire, assiege the saids Strengths and Houses, and use all other kinde of Warlike engyne, that can be had for recovery thereof, and apprehending the saids persons, and their assisters, and if in execution hereof any slaughter, mutalatione, or other accident shall fall out upon the persons so pursued: The Estates of Parliament declares, the Colonels, and others foresaids, assisting them, free thereof, and of all pain or danger they may incur there through, for ever.

And Ordains and Commands all his Majesties good subjects to assist the saids Committees and Colonells in the prosecution of this Commission, under the pain to be esteemed and punished as enemies to Religion, the Kings Majesty, and their Native Countrey, and art and part of the saids Insurrections and tumults; And to the end the saids Committees and Colonels may the better attend this charge, With power to them or *Quorum* thereof, to inflict and uplift penalties aff the absents. And it is hereby declared, that the Colonels of the Shires, and wel-affected Noblemen within the same, have voice and place in their Committees *respective*, and are members thereof. And last these Committees are hereby straitly injoyned and commanded, to obey, and put in execution all Orders and Instructions, to be sent to them by this Parliament or Committee of Estates: And give frequent advertisement of their proceedings, and of the condition of the Shire, to the Committee of Estates, to whom they shall be answerable for the discharge of this trust commited to them. By this Commission which is to indure while the same be recalled by the Parliament, Convention, or the Committee of Estates, and all other former Commissions for this purpose and nomination of Colonels and Committees in the Shires to be void and null in all time coming; and in the mean time the Estates of Parliament gives hereby power to the Committees of these Shires that are spatious and large, to subdivide the Committees thereof, and appoint the times and places of their meetings for the same as the Committees of these Shires shall think fit, and as may conduce most for the furtherance of the publick service and well of their saids Shires.

FINIS. *Alex. Gibson*, Cler. Regi.